GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
LOK SABHA

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Rashtriya Swasthya Bima Yojana Scheme
Ram Mohan Naidu Shri Kinjarapu

Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

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(a) whether a committee or authority has been set up to monitor the effectiveness of the Rashtriya Swasthya Bima Yojana Scheme;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) if not, the reasons therefor;

(d) whether the Government has been able to achieve the target that it has set for the total number of persons to be covered under the scheme; and

(e) whether the Government has a State-wise data of the number of people covered under the scheme and if so, the details thereof?

Answer

ANSWER
THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND
FAMILY WELFARE
(SHRI FAGGAN SINGH KULASTE)
(a) to (c): An inter-ministerial committee namely Approval and Monitoring Committee (AMC) has been constituted with the following composition:

i. Joint Secretary (RSBY), MoHFW
ii. Representative from NITI Aayog
iii. Representative from Department of Financial Services, M/o Finance
iv. Representative of IFD, MoHFW

The functions of AMC are as under:
i. Examine the proposals submitted by the State Governments and grant approval to the projects inter-alia involving approval of tender document; approval of premium for selection of Insurance Company (s) after tender; approval for extension of enrolment period; approval for auto renewal/extension of insurance policy etc.

ii. Periodically monitor and review the progress of the schemes in different States/UTs.

iii. Any other matter with permission of Chair.

(d) & (e): The Target numbers are defined by State Government as per approved categories (BPL and 11 other defined categories namely MGNREGA Workers, Construction Workers, Domestic workers, Sanitation Workers, Mine Workers, licensed Railway Porters, Street Vendors, Beedi Workers, Rickshaw Pullers, Rag Pickers and Auto/Taxi drivers) provided by Ministry of Health & Family Welfare. The State-wise details of targeted families and enrolled families under RSBY during 2016-17 are annexed.